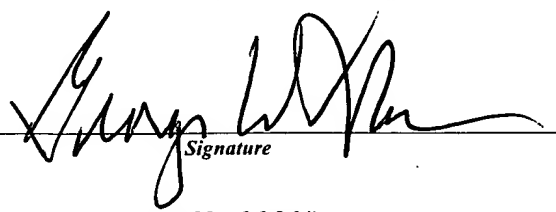



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SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT

Please amend the above application as follows.

In the Claims

Please amend the claims as follows.

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9 (previously amended) A foot prosthesis comprising:

a first spring element extending from a toe region to a lower leg region;

a second spring element extending from a heel region to said lower leg region;

said spring elements being connected to each other at said lower leg region; and

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